2015 Young Leaders Institute
July 24-26, 2015 | Washington, DC

AGENDA

Hotel

Participant check-in: Thursday, July 23
Participant check-out: Sunday, July 26

COURTYARD MARRIOTT, Silver Spring Downtown
8506 Fenton Street
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-589-4899

The hotel is within easy walking distance of the Silver Spring Metro Station on the Red line, training venue, and dinner locations

Training locations

Friday, July 24, Saturday, July 15, and Sunday, July 26

SILVER SPRING CIVIC BUILDING
Colesville Room (Second Floor)
One Veterans Place
Silver Spring, MD 20910
240-777-5350

The training venue is within easy walking distance of the Silver Spring Metro Station on the Red line. There is a public parking garage across the street from the venue.

Participant & Staff dinner locations

July 24
Ghar –E –Kabab
944 Wayne Ave
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-587-4427

July 25
Mandalay
930 Bonifant Street
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-585-0500

Questions?
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Thursday, July 23	**All participants arrive in Silver Spring, MD**
3:00PM-11:00 PM	Hotel Check in
Friday, July 24	**Silver Spring Civic Building, Colesville Room**
8:40AM-9:00AM	**Breakfast**
9:00AM-9:30AM	**Welcome and Orientation**
9:30AM-10:45AM	**Our History, Our Story** Lakshmi Sridaran, *Director of National Policy and Advocacy*, South Asian Americans Leading Together (SAALT)
10:45AM-11:00AM	**Break**
11:00AM-11:45AM	**Our History, Our Story** (cont'd)
11:45AM-12:30PM	**Lunch**
12:30PM-1:45PM	**Black Americans and South Asian Americans: Our Shared Histories** Zachariah Mampilly, *Professor,* Vassar College Nimmi Gowrinathan, *Professor,* City College New York
1:45PM-2:00PM	**Break**
2:00PM-3:30PM	**Black Americans and South Asian Americans: Our Shared Histories** (cont'd)
3:30PM-3:45PM	**Break**
3:45PM-5:15PM	**The History of Black Power Movements in the U.S.** Timothea Howard, *Consultant*
5:15PM-5:45PM	**Closing**
6:30PM-8:00PM	**Dinner at Ghar E Kabab**
Saturday, July 25	**Silver Spring Civic Building, Colesville Room**
8:30AM-9:00AM	**Breakfast**
9:00AM-9:30	**Opening**
9:30AM-11:30AM	**The Black Lives Matter Movement Today** Kaajal Shah, *Co-Founder* Train the Movement
10:45AM-11:00AM	**Break**
11:00AM-12:00PM	**The Black Lives Matter Movement Today (cont'd)**
12:00PM-1:00PM	**Lunch**
1:00PM-2:45PM	**Racial Profiling and Police Violence in the South Asian Community** Suman Raghunathan, *Executive Director,* SAALT Lakshmi Sridaran, *Director of National Policy and Advocacy,* SAALT
2:45PM-3:00PM	**Break**
3:00PM-5:00PM	**Solidarity and Civic Engagement: what does it look like?** Darakshan Raja, *Program Manager and Helga Herz Fellow,* Washington Peace Center
5:00PM-5:30PM	**Closing**
7:00-10:00PM	**Participant Dinner at Mandalay**
Participant Reminder	**Print Boarding Passes in Hotel Lobby**

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Sunday, July25	Silver Spring Civic Building, Colesville Room
8:00AM-8:30AM	**HOTEL CHECKOUT:** *Hotel check-out is 12:00 PM. Participants will need to check out before arriving at training and will need to bring luggage with them to training.*
8:30AM-9:00AM	**Breakfast**
9:00AM-9:45AM	**Weekend in Review & the Year Ahead** Zehra Naqvi, *Programs Consultant,* SAALT
9:45AM-10:45AM	**Break-Out Group Discussions**
10:45AM-11:00AM	**Break**
11:00AM-11:30PM	**Individual Action Plan Development**
11:30AM-2:00PM	**Working Lunch & Break Out Group Feedback on Proposals**
2:00PM-2:30PM	**Action Plans & Wrap-Up** Zehra Naqvi, *Programs Consultant,* SAALT
3:00-3:30PM	**Airport Departures: RH will provide departure info by Friday**

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